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**WIRELINE COMPETITION BUREAU ANNOUNCES COMMENT AND REPLY COMMENT  
DATES FOR NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULEMAKING ON TOLL FREE ASSIGNMENT  
MODERNIZATION**

**WC Docket No. 17-192, CC Docket No. 95-155**

On September 26, 2017, the Federal Communications Commission adopted a Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (NPRM) that seeks comment on changes to the Commission's rules on toll free number assignments, and other proposals to more equitably and efficiently distribute toll free numbers.<sup>1</sup> The NPRM sets deadlines for filing comments and reply comments at 30 and 60 days, respectively, after publication in the Federal Register.<sup>2</sup>

On October 13, 2017, a summary of the NPRM was published in the Federal Register.<sup>3</sup> Accordingly, comments will be due on or before November 13, 2017, and reply comments will be due on or before December 12, 2017.<sup>4</sup> Complete filing instructions are set forth in the NPRM and the Federal Register.<sup>5</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> See generally *Toll Free Assignment Modernization*, Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, FCC 17-124 (Sept. 28, 2017) (*Toll Free Assignment Modernization NPRM*).

<sup>2</sup> *Id.*

<sup>3</sup> Fed. Commc'ns Comm'n, *Toll Free Assignment Modernization*, 82 Fed. Reg. 47669 (Oct. 13, 2017), <https://federalregister.gov/d/2017-22187> (Notice).

<sup>4</sup> Nat'l Archives & Records Admin., Office of the Fed. Register, *Table of Effective Dates and Time Periods – October 2017*, <https://www.federalregister.gov/reader-aids/using-federalregister-gov/table-of-effective-dates-time-periods>; see also 1 CFR § 18.17 (outlining Federal Register date calculation).

<sup>5</sup> *Toll Free Assignment Modernization NPRM* at 17, para. 48; Notice, 82 Fed. Reg. at 47681-82.